

2004 CRIME INDEX

The Crime Index is composed of selected offenses used to gauge fluctuations in the overall volume and rate of crime reported to police. The offenses included are the violent crimes of murder, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault; and the property crimes of burglary, larceny, and auto theft. The Crime Index was developed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Reporting program to standardize the way in which law enforcement agencies report crime statistics.

Crime	2001	2002	2003	2004	2003-2004 Change
Murder	1	6	3	0	Inc.
Rape	15	10	7	10	Inc.
Stranger	2	1	1	0	Inc.
Non-Stranger	13	9	6	10	Inc.
Robbery	181	195	229	245	+7%
Commercial	34	40	41	60	+46%
Street	147	155	188	185	-2%
Aggravated Assault	272	284	271	248	-8%
Total Violent Crime	469	495	510	503	-1%
Burglary	688	720	651	724	+11%
Commercial	135	198	134	139	+4%
Residential	553	522	517	585	+13%
Larceny	2,740	2,764	2,389	2,654	+11%
from Building	517	521	518	572	+10%
from Motor Vehicle	691	748	657	734	+12%
from Person	407	394	331	381	+15%
of Bicycle	318	264	212	229	+8%
Shoplifting	463	452	358	383	+7%
from Residence	175	203	183	226	+23%
of License Plate	100	94	75	67	-11%
of Services	29	26	24	30	+25%
Miscellaneous	40	62	31	32	+3%
Auto Theft	523	425	419	438	+4%
Total Property Crime	3,951	3,909	3,459	3,816	+10%
Crime Index Total	4,420	4,404	3,969	4,319	+9%

** Note: Inc = percentages are not calculated for numbers so small to prevent a statistically misleading percentage*